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THIRD SESSION, JULY 7 TO AUGUST 15, 1930

DIRECTOR, E. H. STURTEVANT

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## THE HISTORY OF THE THIRD SESSION

The previous history of the LINGUISTIC INSTITUTE may be found in *Bulletins Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5* of the LINGUISTIC SOCIETY OF AMERICA, which are obtainable from Prof. R. G. Kent, Secretary of the Society, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; price, 10, 10, 25, 10 cents respectively.

On authorization of the Executive Committee of the Linguistic Society, the Director of the Linguistic Institute proceeded in September 1929 to organize the session of 1930. It had already become clear that no subvention could be expected from the moneyed foundations; but early in September, President Frederick B. Robinson of the College of the City of New York expressed interest in the Institute, and after several conferences it was arranged that the session of 1930 should be held as part of the Summer Session of his institution. Under the arrangement, the Administrative Committee of the Institute had the privilege of appointing the Faculty of the Institute and of arranging the courses; the City College assumed all responsibility for salaries of the Faculty, except so far as they were provided by special foundations or gifts, in which case the funds were to be administered by the City College for the Institute. The City College also assumed financial responsibility for printing and distributing the *Announcement of the*

*Linguistic Institute* and for other publicity, and made a small allowance for the expenses of the Director of the Institute.

Thanks are due to the College authorities also for their generosity in purchasing for their Library many books needed chiefly for the work of the Institute, and to New York University for the loan of important works from its Library. The other New York libraries also assisted materially by allowing the members of the Institute to use their facilities.

The fees paid by the students, which naturally went direct to the City College, were, in addition to the regular fee of \$2.50 for Summer Session registration and Library privileges, a fee of \$25 for one course and of \$50 for two or more courses; but the maximum fee for courses which was charged against teachers in the Institute and in the City College was \$25, irrespective of the number of courses attended.

The Director presented a report upon the Linguistic Institute 1929 to the Linguistic Society of America at its annual business session, held at Cleveland on December 30, 1929, and his report, which included the plan to hold the Third Session at the College of the City of New York, was received and accepted. The Society then confirmed the action of the Executive Committee in authorizing a Third Session of the Linguistic Institute, and gave to the Executive Committee power to authorize a Fourth Session if that should seem desirable. The Society confirmed the Executive Committee's appointment of Professor Edwin C. Roedder of the College of the City of New York to a position on the Administrative Committee of the Institute, and also approved the plan of the Director to establish an Endowment Fund, the income of which should be available for the current expenses of the Institute.

Tentative arrangements with members of the Faculty, made in the preceding months, were now confirmed. The *Announcement of the Linguistic Institute 1930*, which is *Bulletin No. 5* of the Linguistic Society, was distributed in March to members and subscribers of the Linguistic Society, and somewhat later over 7000 copies were sent out by the College of the City of New York. The announcement was repeated in the City College's own *Bulletin of Courses of the Summer Session 1930*, pages 6 and 42-8.

Largely through the efforts of Professor Edward Prokosch of Yale University, President of the Linguistic Society of America, several lectureships of \$500 each were founded by individuals and societies. Mr. F. W. Lafrentz established a Lectureship in Old Saxon and Old Frisian; the Germanistic Society of New York established a Lectureship in Old High German; Mr. Ludwig Vogelstein established a Lectureship

in Semitics. Lastly, Mr. Albert Blum presented the same sum for a Lectureship to be filled by a French scholar, without designation of the special linguistic field. Obviously the French Lectureship stipend was inadequate without a traveling allowance; but President Robinson promptly and generously made a suitable appropriation from the funds budgeted for the Institute. The four Lectureships were filled as follows:

Frank Ringgold Blake, Ludwig Vogelstein Lecturer in Semitics.

Jules Marouzeau, Albert Blum French Lecturer.

Edward Prokosch, F. W. Lafrentz Lecturer in Old Saxon and Old Frisian.

Edwin C. Roedder, Germanistic Society Lecturer in Old High German.

Of these appointees, one was an addition to the Faculty which had been announced in *Bulletin No. 5*: namely Jules Marouzeau, Professeur de Langue et Littérature Latine at the Faculté des Lettres of the University of Paris, and Directeur d'Études at the École Pratique des Hautes-Études, who arranged to offer a two-hour course, in French, on the following subject:

LA LANGUE ET LE STYLE LATINS: I. Les sons du latin. Nature, évolution, tendances. Leur qualité, leur valeur expressive. Accent, quantité, et intonation. II. Les mots. Formation et évolution. Les vicissitudes du vocabulaire latin. Sens, emploi, qualité des mots. Mots vides et mots pleins, intellectuels et affectifs. Doublets et synonymes. III. La phrase. Diverses formes de l'énoncé: groupe, proposition, période. Phrase analytique et phrase synthétique, phrase inorganique et phrase rythmique. Ordre des mots. IV. Le vers. Rapports de la phrase et du vers. Types et clichés. Adaptation des sons et des mots à la forme métrique, rythmique, mélodique. V. Vue d'ensemble sur le développement du latin considéré comme 'Kunstsprache.'

There was only one other change in the teaching force, the withdrawal of Professor Ephraim A. Speiser, of the University of Pennsylvania, who was obliged to go abroad before the opening of the Institute. His course in Sumerian was withdrawn, and his course on Comparative Grammar of the Semitic Languages was taken over by Professor Blake, in addition to the two which he had already planned; a slight increase in his stipend was made by the City College in view of his cooperation in a difficult situation.

The Session was opened on Monday, July 7. The headquarters of the Institute were in Room 209, Main Building, College of the City of New



York, 139th Street and Convent Avenue, with the lectures in neighboring rooms. The attendance was better than for either previous session, with sixty students registering and only two courses not elected. The statistics for the three sessions of the Institute are as follows:

	1928	1929	1930
Administrative Committee	3	3	4
Faculty and Lecturers	23	23	26
Registrants for Courses or Research	45	37	60
Total Members of the Institute after deducting duplications	65	49	84

As in previous years, one of the most valuable features of the session consisted of numerous informal discussions of linguistic problems, and in these visiting scholars who were not members of the Institute frequently participated. The evening lectures also were again a regular part of the session; they were well attended, and were followed by vigorous discussion.

The Session came to a close on Friday, August 15, and was pronounced by all a distinct success.

The financial report of the Director, given on page 15, shows only the items received and disbursed by the Director of the Institute; the main items were cared for by the College of the City of New York under the agreement with that institution. For purposes of record, it might be noted that the stipends of the teachers amounted to \$8100, and that the receipts from fees of students were \$2250 and from special lectureship stipends \$2000.

The Director of the Institute and the Treasurer of the Linguistic Society jointly report that the Endowment Fund of the Linguistic Institute has received the sum of \$805.00, by gifts from L. C. Barret, F. R. Blake, G. M. Bolling, Miss E. F. Claffin, E. Cross, E. Gottlieb, R. G. Kent, J. A. Kerns, C. Knapp, H. R. Lang, C. M. Lotspeich, Mrs. A. V. Morris, O. Müller, C. J. Ogden, Mrs. H. P. Pond, E. H. Sturtevant, J. R. Swanton, S. N. Wolfenden, G. & C. Merriam Co. (through P. W. Carhart), G. E. Stechert & Co.; and that this sum has been turned over by the Director of the Institute to the Treasurer of the Society, who has placed it among the invested funds in the care of the Trustees. They also report that further pledges amounting to \$1915.00, payable at future dates, have been made by L. C. Barret, R. P. Dougherty, Miss E. A. Hahn, J. A. Kerns, H. Kurath, C. M. Lotspeich, O. Müller, E. Prokosch, E. C. Roedder, R. E. Saleski, A. G. Solalinde, E. H. Sturtevant.

The Executive Committee of the Linguistic Society of America, acting under authority given by the Society on December 30, 1929, has voted to hold a Fourth Session of the Linguistic Institute in 1930, and has provisionally continued the present membership of the Administrative Committee of the Institute. The Administrative Committee has already begun making the arrangements for this Fourth Session. All persons wishing to receive further announcements are asked to send their names and addresses to Professor E. H. Sturtevant, Director of the Linguistic Institute, Box 1849, Yale Station, New Haven, Connecticut.

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7. *Greek Dialects.* MR. STURTEVANT.  
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8. *The Language of the Homeric Poems.* MR. BOLLING.  
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Registrants: none.

## PUBLIC LECTURES

During the session of the Institute, the following public lectures were delivered in the evening, in the Main Building of the College of the City of New York:

- July 10: PROF. FRANZ BOAS, of Columbia University, *The Relation between Grammar and Lexicography*.
- July 15: PROF. FRANKLIN EDGERTON, of Yale University, *The Relation of Dialects to Literary Languages in India*.
- July 18: PROF. E. H. STURTEVANT, of Yale University, *The Development of Reduced Vowels and Syllabic Nasals and Liquids in Hittite*.  
DR. H. B. HINCKLEY, of New Haven, *Anaptyxis*.
- July 22: PROF. G. M. BOLLING, of Ohio State University, *Notes on the Personal Pronouns in Homer*.
- July 25: PROF. EDWARD PROKOSCH, of Yale University, *Migration and Linguistic Change*.
- July 29: PROF. R. G. KENT, of the University of Pennsylvania, *The Latin Infinitive and Related Matters*.
- August 1: PROF. G. W. BROWN, of the Kennedy School of Missions, *Are the Dravidian Languages Related to Mitanni?*
- August 5: PROF. LOUISE POUND, of the University of Nebraska, *The Mother Tongue in the United States*.
- August 8: PROF. JULES MAROUZEAU, of the Faculté des Lettres of the Université de Paris, *Qu'est-ce que le Style?*
- August 12: DR. HELEN H. ROBERTS, of the Institute of Human Relations, Yale University, *Some Anthropological and Psychological Problems of Language*.

# **FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE LINGUISTIC INSTITUTE, 1930**

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**Receipts:**

Interest on bank balance, received in August, 1929.....	<b>\$6.22</b>	
Interest on Endowment Fund, to August 1, 1930, received from the Treasurer of the L. S. A.....	<b>8.42</b>	
C. C. N. Y., for Director's expenses.....	<b>312.26</b>	
Albert Blum, for French Lectureship.....	<b>500.00</b>	
Germanistic Society of New York, for Lecture- ship in Old High German.....	<b>500.00</b>	
Contributions to Endowment Fund.....	<b>805.00</b>	<b>\$2131.90</b>
Total Funds Handled.....		<b>\$2135.44</b>

**Disbursements:**

To the Director, for expenses.....	<b>312.26</b>	
To L. S. A., lectureship stipends for transmis- sion to C. C. N. Y.....	<b>1000.00</b>	
To L. S. A., endowment funds of the L. I., for investment.....	<b>805.00</b>	<b>\$2117.26</b>
Balance on hand, August 22, 1930.....		<b>\$18.18</b>
		<b>\$2135.44</b>

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